

## Transferred to Artic

Constable George Walters of the R.C.M.P. is visiting friends here this week. Constable Walters who has of late been stationed in the Peace, has been granted leave prior to being sent to a post in the Western Arctic.

He will leave the first part of June and will travel by rail to Waterways and thence by boat to his destination and will be on northern patrol for at least three years.

Prior to joining the force 3 years ago he was employed by W. J. McCoy here.

## Rangers Send Knitted Garments.

The 1st Didsbury Ranger Group Girl Guides shipped a parcel this week to Provincial Guide Headquarters, of hand knit garments and cloth toys for children in the bombed areas of England. All materials were bought from Group funds and were made by the members.

## United Church Notes.

The Minister will speak on the theme "Lamps that Fail" on all points on the Charge next Sunday.

## Should Buy Winter Coal Supply

The ruling that no oil will be available this coming fall and winter has considerable significance to the coal situation in Alberta. It will mean a further increased demand for Alberta coal in Ontario, B.C., as well as in Manitoba and other parts where oil burners are in use. This will be a further strain on the mines to take care of these orders and also take care of their old trade.

The local coal merchants think the situation next winter will be serious and are advising their customers to secure their next winter coal supply now while coal can be obtained. If they are not prepared to put in their full supply, surely they should put in part of it.

## Teachers Ask More Pay.

Teachers throughout the province are asking for a basic wage of \$19.23 a week, executives of the Alberta Teachers' Association said in a statement issued on Saturday. Average salary of teachers in Alberta at present is \$16.50.

"In order to deal with the situation arising out of the critical shortage of teachers, we are discussing ways and means to cope with it," said James Smith, chairman of the executive.

## Didsbury Nears Red Cross Quota.

The Red Cross drive has been extended for one more week and it is expected that the quota of \$2,500.00, which was set by the committee will be considerably exceeded by Saturday night.

Up to Tuesday evening the cash subscriptions had reached the sum of \$2,447.65.

A few of the canvassers have not yet completed their work and are asked to have their return in by Saturday evening at the latest.

It is quite a job to organize the district so that every person is approached during the drive and it is quite possible that some have been missed. If it happens that you may somehow have been overlooked by the canvasser you are asked to drop in to the campaign headquarters and leave your subscription.

As the campaign closes there may be some who realize they did not subscribe as generously as they could afford: Mr. C. E. Reiber, the local treasurer, will be pleased to receive additional subscriptions.

## Must Report Excess Tires

Automobile and truck owners have only until the end of May to report in writing to the nearest tire rationing representative of the Wartime Prices and Trades Board, any excess tires and tubes in their possession, whether new or used, over what is necessary to equip the running wheels and one spare rim of each vehicle in their ownership or control. It is not necessary to give the identification numbers of the tires.

There is no present intention of calling in excess tires, states the controller of supplies. The census of tires is part of the compilation of the rubber resources of Canada.

Tire rationing representatives in Alberta are stationed at Red Deer, Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, Grande Prairie, Calgary and Edmonton in the regional and sub-offices of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

## For Holiday Makers

With the summer holiday season upon us and travel by automobile limited, Mr. Walter S. Campbell, regional representative of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, points out that rentals of summer cottages must not be greater than those charged during similar months of last season. Renters who offer to pay more are as liable for a breach of the rental regulations as landlords who would charge more. Cost of meals, hotel accommodations, etc., must not exceed last summer's prices.

Operators of summer hotels and boarding houses are under the same obligation as city operators—to post in each room a printed statement showing the maximum rental for the room, for one or more persons, with or without board.

## DIDSBURY MARKETS

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Pullett .....	16c
Grade B .....	17c
Grade C .....	14c

## Alberta Pioneer Passes Away

Alfred Edward Thompson, one of Alberta's earlier pioneers and a well known farmer residing 16 miles east of Didsbury, passed away at his home on Thursday evening, May 26 at the age of 78, after a short illness.

Born in Richmond, England, he came to Canada 58 years ago and to Alberta 55 years ago. Prior to coming to Didsbury 16 years ago he resided in Calgary where he was very well known.

He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Clarence Weal of Calgary; and four sons, William of Bieseker, Harvey with the Vancouver Scottish at Sidney, B.C., and Alfred and Harry at home.

The funeral services will be held on Friday at 2 p.m. from the Foster & Foster Funeral Home in Calgary.

## Will Travel by Plane.

Mrs. James Hosegood expects to leave Sunday for Detroit, Michigan, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Lee Wight.

Mrs. Hosegood will travel by Trans-Canada Air Lines to Winnipeg and thence by the international airways to Detroit. Leaving Calgary at 11 p.m. on Sunday and arriving at Detroit at 2 p.m. Monday.

She will also visit relatives in Massachusetts.

## No Rides on Trucks

Attention of all truck owners and drivers is called by Mr. Walter S. Campbell, Regional representative of the Wartime Prices and Trades Board, to the new regulations, forbidding truck drivers to carry passengers, unless in possession of a permit to do so. This applies even to employees of the truck owner, members of his family, or persons carried free.

Exception only is being made when livestock is being carried, when owners of the livestock may be carried in the cab.

Persons requiring permits must apply to the Regional Director of Transport, Williamson Building, Edmonton, giving name of the owner, make, model, type, serial number and license number, and full particulars of what the permit is required to cover.

The permit system is part of the plan to conserve gasoline and rubber for military needs by limiting non-essential motor travel.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hearst of Calgary visited with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pearson on Sunday.

## Anniversary Services at United Church

We are looking forward to the Anniversary services on Sunday, June 7th. Forty years ago, the Presbyterian minister, Rev. Joseph Ferguson, who was busy not only preaching and visiting, but building Churches. The Church at Westcott was opened in March, 1902, and the Church in Didsbury sometime during the same year.

Our Fortieth Anniversary on June 7th, will be marked by the presence and messages of the same Rev. Mr. Ferguson, now retired, but serving Churches near Nelson, B.C.

Mr. Ferguson will preach at Westcott at 11 a.m. and at Didsbury at 7:30 p.m. On Monday evening the ladies will serve a dinner in the basement of the Church, and a concert will follow with the main feature being an address by Mr. Ferguson.

At Westcott the committee in charge of arrangements has suggested that our "Thank offering" on this occasion take the form of contributions to the United Church deficit fund.

At Didsbury there still remains a \$300 debt on the present Church which was opened in 1929. In the past three years \$700 has been paid off and the ladies aid are working hard to wipe off the remainder. Some have this year given substantial sums to assist in this project. There are many more who might do likewise, and thus assist the ladies to reach the objective. So we invite the friends of the United Church to make a thank offering at this time for this purpose.

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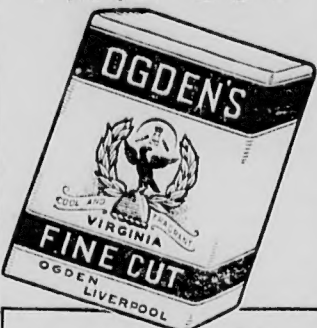


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CONSERVING TIME

A lady, checking over her grocery bill, found this item: "One tom cat, 15c ents." Indignant, she called up her grocer and demanded to know what he meant by such a charge. "Oh, that's all right, Mrs. Blank," he replied. "That's just an abbreviation for tomato catsup."

## Canadian Agriculture

CANADIAN AGRICULTURE is now just as essentially a war industry, and just as vital to our war effort, as is the production of armaments. The old saying that an army travels on its stomach, is no doubt as true today as in the past. The first requisite of the army, navy and air force, both at home and abroad, is that the men and women who compose these services are provided with proper food and sustenance. It is not only our own Canadian forces that must be provided with food from Canada. Vast quantities of farm produce must be shipped, and has been shipped to Britain in order to sustain the populace and the fighting forces in the United Kingdom. In the first two years of war Canada has shipped more than three hundred million bushels of wheat and seven million barrels of flour. In the same period Canada shipped more than eight hundred million pounds of bacon and other pork products, one hundred and ninety-five million pounds of cheese, fifteen million dozen eggs, and thirteen million pounds of honey.

### Facing The Situation

Canadian farmers, knowing full well the urgency of the situation, are going to produce as never before. Here in the West, perhaps unfortunately, it has been found necessary to turn at least to some extent from wheat growing to other crops that appear more essential for the prosecution of the war. A reduction this year of three per cent. in acreage sown to wheat in 1941 is indicated. Western Canada is particularly adapted for the growing of wheat, and this has always been our main crop. However, the necessities of war must now override other considerations, and this year more attention is going to be paid to the growing of flax, barley and other crops. Flax is needed to produce oil for our war industries, and barley will be used for feed for hogs to provide bacon for Britain. In this war it has been truly said that we are all in the front line, and the man on the land is bearing his full share of responsibility. He has been carrying on in the face of many adverse circumstances, and with grit and determination is prepared to do his full share in this fight for the preservation of democracy.

### Meeting A Heavy Task

Thus in entering the new crop year of 1942, the Canadian farmer has set himself to the task of producing the essential crops to the limit of his capacity. Farm products will be shipped to Britain in quantities only limited by the carrying capacity of ships and Canada's ability to produce. Given favorable growing conditions and a minimum of the set-backs that plague the life of the farmer, it is expected that the West will be able to contribute largely to the shipments going overseas. It is believed that measures will be taken to ensure sufficient help on the farm. Many farmers' sons have enlisted for overseas service, but regulations have been provided in respect to enlistments to avoid any shortage of men that would seriously affect this important industry. Provision has also been made in respect to the supply of necessary parts to keep farm machinery in repair. And so the farmer puts his hand to the plough, not looking back, but with a grim purpose to do his part in no small way in this fight for victory.



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### For Canadian Fliers

Chapel In Scotland Has Also Recreation Room And Canteen

Somewhere in Scotland, Canadian and English airmen share the use of a chapel built by the United Church of Canada. The only Canadian church in Britain, it is known as "The Church of Canada Hut."

An unpretentious building similar to many others on the airdrome, it houses besides the chapel, a recreation room and a canteen where tasty snacks are prepared by a little white-haired Scotswoman whose mother was a Canadian.

The money for the chapel was given by the United Church of Canada to the United Church of Scotland which supervised the erection of the building, a long structure of wood at the side of a road beside the big airfield.

One of the first Sunday services conducted at the chapel by Flt. Lt. Gordon Porter of Lakefield, Ont., an R.C.A.F. padre whose church is at Hamilton, Ont., attracted more than 150 members of the Canadian squadron, a Beaufighter unit led by Sqdn. Ldr. Maurice Lipton of Sydney, N.S., and Belleville, Ont.

In the recreation room there are shelves of books and writing tables with letter paper and envelopes. There is a rolling concert stage behind a collapsible wall which is removed if there is an overflow attendance at a church service. The chapel proper and recreation room can accommodate 1,500 persons.

Meals have eyes. These are hidden by the fur and are so tiny that they probably serve only to distinguish light and darkness.

### Fight If Attacked

But Fledgling Pilots Warned Against Deliberately Engaging The Enemy

The undergraduate medical student, who is called upon to attend an emergency case at sea finds a parallel in the air force pilot who, while still under training in Great Britain, comes face to face with a German flier for whose extermination he has been instructed only in the abstract.

This is one of the many problems of the staff officers of operational training units—schools in Britain which teach air crews fresh from the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan in Canada to apply their knowledge of aviation to first-line aircraft under wartime conditions. In other words their job is to graduate the crews from Canada from training craft to ultra-modern fighters, bombers and coastal command machines.

Occasionally an O.T.U. student crosses aerial paths with a German O.T.U. craft carrying guns and ammunition, of course. But the student, unless he is just finishing his course, is likely not to be quite as adept and practiced in their use as his more seasoned adversary. Consequently, his instructions are "Keep away from Jerry. Leave him strictly alone. But if he comes after you, and gets within range, then defend yourself." And in O.T.U., the emphasis is on attack all the time.

Of the three main branches of the air force—fighter, bomber and coastal command—the least emphasis on actual combat occurs in coastal. Many thousands of weary hours per week are expended in ceaseless patrol of the skies and sea-lanes, in the reconnaissance, in the conveying, and maintenance of a close guard on British shores.

One of the most important subjects studied at coastal O.T.U.'s is "ship recognition" from heights of 1,000 to 4,000 feet. In that job, guesses are out.

### HOME SERVICE

SIMPLE EXERCISES EASE ACHING FEET



Feet Affect The Figure Too

"Let me sit down!" gasps the woman with aching feet.

Even her oldest shoes haven't relieved the strain on her tortured foot muscles. Severe pain, a haggard expression and poor posture are the result.

Simple exercises for the feet would do wonders for her—enable her to step gaily along like her smartly shod companion.

Usually the metatarsal region in the ball of the foot is the first to give trouble. Undue pressure on this part strains the muscles that hold the bones in place.

To strengthen your metatarsal region so it can "take it"—do this simple exercise.

Lay a towel on the floor and keeping feet pointed straight ahead, place toes on edge nearest you. Keep heels on floor and, using gripping movements of the toes, pull towel back under the insteps. Repeat 5 to 7 times.

With right exercises you can correct other bodily faults too—have a trim, young figure. Our 32-page booklet gives illustrated exercises to slim the waist, hips, legs, to improve bust, shoulders and arms, to relieve foot and nerve troubles, constipation. Has exercises to improve posture, a daily routine for whole body.

Send 15c in coins for your copy of "Best Exercises for Health and Beauty" to Home Service Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man. Be sure to write plainly your name, address, and the name of booklet.

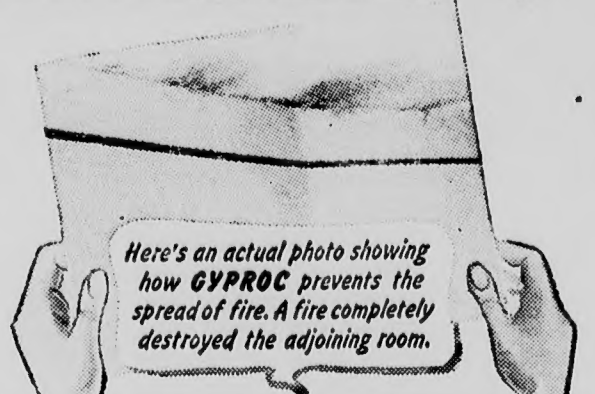
#### GIFT FROM QUEEN MARY

Queen Mary bought a present for Sir Hugh Elles at a Red Cross sale in Bristol, Eng. He had given an ancient painted Chinese urn which he valued greatly. She bought it and handed it back to him.

If you convince a man against his will, you may have to do it over again the next day 2464

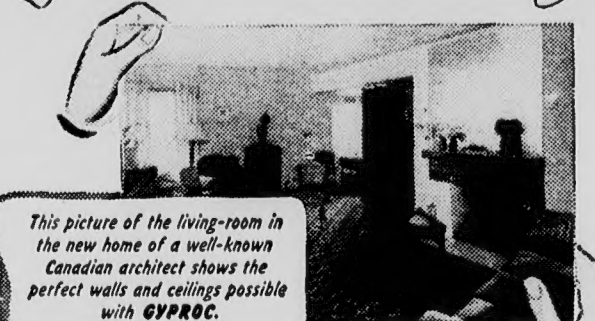
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### Could Go One Better

English Sailor Told Why He Believed Canadian's Tall Story

There were some Canadian soldiers in a London pub and they got telling tall stories.

One of them said to an English sailor who was standing near:

"Just when our transport was leaving and one of the conveying destroyers was pulling out from the quay, a sailor comes running down the quay and yelling for the destroyer to stop."

"Well, the destroyer doesn't stop, so this guy takes a running jump."

"He misses and falls into the water—and he starts to swim after the destroyer."

"They don't stop to pick him up, because the convoy is on its way."

"So this sailor guy keeps on swimming and swimming after the destroyer—and in the end he swims right across the Atlantic."

"Now, I don't suppose you believe that, do you?"

The sailor said, "Oh, yes, I do."

"You do?"

"Of course, I do. I was the guy."

The largest river entirely within Switzerland is the Aar or Aare.

### Another Aid For Pilots

Delicate Instrument Warns Them When Approaching Thunder Clouds

A "cloud charge indicator" has been devised to warn pilots when they approach dangerous thunder clouds. The delicate instrument consists of a neon tube and microammeter, connected to a pointed tungsten rod protruding 14 inches from the plane. Electrical discharges from clouds flash the neon tube and deflect a needle on the meter.

### No More Fancy Luggage

Unnecessary Gadgets Use Material Needed For War Effort

Fancy luggage will soon be a thing of the past, it was learned at Toronto from E. J. Shoemaker, administrator of luggage, Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Unnecessary pockets, dress hangars and twin locks will be missing from dressing cases, club bags and trunks soon to conserve precious rubber, rayon and metal for the war effort.

There never was a time when there were so many people who know so little about so much.

# Look Out! A Sick Liver is Dangerous

Do you have persistent headaches and backaches? Are you tortured by rheumatic pains in muscles and joints? A faulty liver is clogging your whole system. Serious ill health may result.

● Your liver is the largest organ in your body and most important to your health. It supplies energy to muscles, tissues and glands. If unhealthy, your body lacks this energy and becomes enfeebled—youthful vim disappears. Again your liver pours out bile to digest food, get rid of waste and allow proper nourishment to reach your blood. When your liver gets out of order proper digestion and nourishment stop—you're poisoned with the waste that decomposes in your intestines. Nervous troubles and rheumatic pains arise from this poison. You become constipated, stomach and kidneys can't work properly. The whole system is affected and you feel "rotten," headache, backache, dizzy, tired out—a ready prey for sickness and disease.

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Mrs. E. Dodson, London, Ont.



# Waterfalls Have A Place Of Special Importance In The Natural Phenomena Of Canada

From the earliest days of exploration in Canada, waterfalls have occupied a prominent place in the annals of our intrepid path-finders. Some of these falls are famous on account of their volume and impressive grandeur; some, on account of their scenic beauty and tremendous height, some, on account of their legendary and historic associations; and others, because of the unique rock formations over which they hurl their waters in a succession of leaping, foaming, wild cataracts. Much has been written about the potential and developed waterpower of many of these falls and the part they play in the industrial life of Canada, but much still remains to be written of their artistic and inspirational value to society and to the tourist industry of Canada.

In the great wealth of natural phenomena which make Canada's National Parks the playgrounds of millions of people, waterfalls have a place of special importance. This is particularly true of the national parks in the mountains of Alberta and British Columbia.

Picture, for instance, the Twin Falls in Yoho National Park pouring seemingly out of the blue sky in two great cascades, dropping 600 feet onto the floor of the Yoho Valley. The waters of these spectacular falls have their source in the Yoho, Wapta, and other glaciers on the surrounding mountain. A picturesque trail winds up the Yoho Valley to the Twin Falls and on to Yoho Glacier.

Lower down the Yoho Valley, Takakkaw Falls leaps over a massive limestone cliff tumbling in a glorious curtain of green waters and foaming spray down to the Yoho River 1,500 feet below. This is the highest cataract on the North American continent, and one of the most impressive sights in the National Parks of Canada.

There are numerous waterfalls in Banff National Park but perhaps one of the most interesting is the Giant Steps in Paradise Valley. According to Indian legend, these steps formed the ancient staircase of giant Indian spirits of the Upper Air who came down to carry mortals away to their heavenly abode, somewhere above the top of Horseshoe Glacier. The Wasatch (Indian word for beautiful) River leaps over these immense rectangular blocks of stone and, when viewed from some angles, gives the impression of a huge natural staircase leading up the mountain. The colouring is almost unbelievable when the sun shines on the spray formed by this rushing torrent.

Athabaska Falls, besides being one of the scenic highlights in Jasper National Park, conjures up memories of early days in the region when David Thompson and other distinguished explorers were blazing new trails along the Athabaska Valley and over the Athabaska Pass to the "Western" ocean. The Athabaska River, which has its source in the great Columbia Ice-field, gathers tremendous volume from its many tributaries before tumbling over the Athabaska Falls into a gorge 80 feet deep. The main body of the river, striking the wall of the canyon with terrific force, is hurled back into mid-stream where it boils, churns, seethes and tosses, swirling in great whirlpools, flinging up clouds of spray. The scene is wildly beautiful with a setting of alpine grandeur that is breath-taking.

At Cameron Falls in Waterton Lakes National Park one of the most unique rock formations in the region is exposed. The rocks of this park occur in three broad folds which trend in a northwesterly direction. The central fold is an upward arch with axis conforming to the lower part of Cameron Brook. Erosion along the crest of this fold has exposed at Cameron Falls some of the oldest rocks to be observed anywhere in the Canadian Rockies. Here, horizontal beds of dolomitic rock have been tilted sharply upward so that the falls pour tumultuously over this sharp diagonal, a great part of its mass sliding to the lower western end before tumbling onto the rocks below.

These are but a few examples of

the many waterfalls which add colour and charm to Canada's National Parks and make a holiday in these superb playgrounds a never-to-be-forgotten experience.

## If Supply Is Maintained

### More Scientific Method Of Obtaining Cascara Bark Must Be Adopted

The British Columbia government is trying to increase production of cascara bark, valuable source of medicinal supplies.

The forest service is encouraging the planting of cascara trees and hopes that farmers will adopt the program extensively just as they have recently endeavored to enter the Christmas tree trade on their cut-over woodlots.

The government is experimenting with cascara trees at its extensive forest nursery at Green Timbers, near New Westminster.

In recent years Japanese and Indians have been peeling much of the bark and selling it to wholesale drug manufacturing firms. Because of army medical needs cascara is in greater demand now than ever before. Medical men know no substitute for it. Japanese have been eliminated from the industry as a result of the wholesale evacuation of all people of Japanese origin from the coastal area, but white men and Indians are carrying on.

The cascara tree is a relatively rare tree but grows extensively along the Pacific coast. British Columbia is the only part of the British empire where the tree flourishes.

British Columbia druggists expect a supply of upwards of 300 tons of cascara bark annually, but they claim that this output cannot be maintained indefinitely unless more scientific methods are adopted for stripping the trees.

### STARTED MANY YEARS AGO

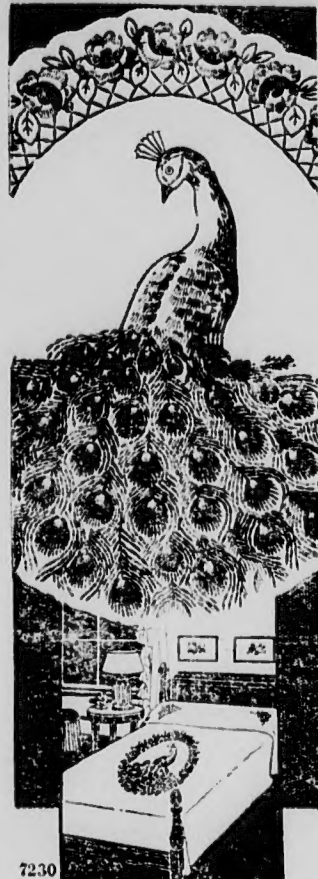
The business of selling flowers and flower seeds began in New York city in 1802. Grant Thorburn, a mail-maker, lost his job and, when neighbors admired his wife's geraniums, conceived the idea of selling potted plants.

## Work Of Lifeboats

### 4,600 Lives Are Saved Since The Outbreak Of War

At the annual meeting of the City of London branch of the Royal National Life-Boat Institution it was stated that during the last 30 months of war the lifeboats had helped to save 200 vessels from destruction. Altogether since the outbreak of war the lifeboats had saved 4,600 lives.

## Regal Peacock In Stitchery Beautifies Your Bedroom



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# Co-Operation Between Canada And United States Will Aid In The Production Of Crops

Close co-operation between Canada and the United States in production of crops made vital by war developments and in the use of available farm labor is provided for in joint agricultural arrangements announced by Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

The seasonal movements of farm labor and machinery across the international boundary will be facilitated under one arrangement. Agricultural authorities commented that this would benefit many sections of both countries because harvest usually comes at different times in Canada and the United States and machinery which would otherwise lie idle will be kept in more constant use.

The other arrangement provides for increased production of oil-bearing crops in the United States and of oats, barley and flax in Canada. The Dominion already is implementing its share.

Both countries, in common with other United Nations, face a shortage of imported vegetable oils because former sources of imported supplies have been occupied by Japan. The need for oils is particularly great in Russia and the United Kingdom, the joint economic committee said.

The arrangements announced by Mr. King were recommended by the joint economic committees by Canada and the United States and have been approved by President Roosevelt. The recommendations were signed by Dr. W. A. Mackintosh, Canadian committee chairman, and Alvin H. Hansen, head of the United States group.

Mr. King's statement said approval of the joint arrangements marked one of the "first positive actions on the agricultural front to further closer economic collaboration between the two nations in the common war effort."

The increased oats and barley acreage in Canada will provide both adequate feed supplies for the expanding Canadian livestock program and make possible greater expansion this season of soy bean production in the United States corn belt by permitting acreage that would otherwise

be used for feed grain to be shifted without impairing feed resources.

The Canadian program, as announced in March, encourages wheat growers to shift wheatland to oats, barley, and flax. The Canadian flax program this year calls for an output of about 20,000,000 bushels, an increase of three times 1911 output.

Flax is important both in the production of oil, and for use in livestock feed preparations.

Effective next autumn, Canada will facilitate the delivery in the United States, at the then current United States prices, of "whatever quantity of flaxseed, oats and barley Canada may be in a position to supply."

United States will not apply additional restrictions on the importation of such grain supplies, and will facilitate the sale to Canada, at the then current United States prices, of whatever quantity of vegetable oils or vegetable oil seeds the United States may be in a position to supply. No additional restrictions on such importations will be applied by Canada.

The large movement regulations provide that the agricultural machines and their crews will move across the border without payment of duty and with such regulations as either country may consider necessary to insure that the machines or members of the crews will return within a specified time to the country from which they came.

The seasonal movement of farm labor will be under such rules and regulations "as will further the efficient distribution of labor for peak requirements."

In line with steps to enlarge production of other Canadian crops, the trade and commerce department announced that an order-in-council has been approved empowering the Canadian wheat board to buy No. 2 yellow soy beans at a price of \$1.95 a bushel, basis Toronto.

This action was taken on recommendation of the wartime prices and trade board and for the purpose of assuring Canadian soy bean producers of a fair and stable price for their product.

"It is hoped thereby to encourage the production of soy beans in Canada in order to secure larger quantities of oil and meal cake which are required to make up for the deficiency in supplies of vegetable oils and feedstuffs," the department statement said.

Although new production heights are expected to be attained this year, officials said Canada has made long strides already in enlarged coarse grains output.

Oats production in 1941 at 353,000,000 bushels against an average of 335,307,000 bushels in 1936-40. Barley production was 117,618,000 bushels against 92,938,000 and rye, 13,167,000 bushels against 10,668,000. Flax production of 6,473,000 bushels last year compared with 1,784,000 for the 1936-40 period.

The wheat board has been empowered to pay \$2.25 a bushel for No. 1 Canada western flax, basis in store at Fort William. The board will buy No. 1 or No. 2 Canada western barley at 60 cents a bushel and No. 2 Canada western oats at 45 cents.

## How To Serve

### Canadian Housewives Are Told How They Can Help

Canadian housewives' biggest Army unit on the Home Front are asking: "How can we best serve?"

The consumer branch of Wartime Prices and Trade Board advises:

Buy as carefully and intelligently as you know how.

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Don't waste anything. Salvage anything you can.

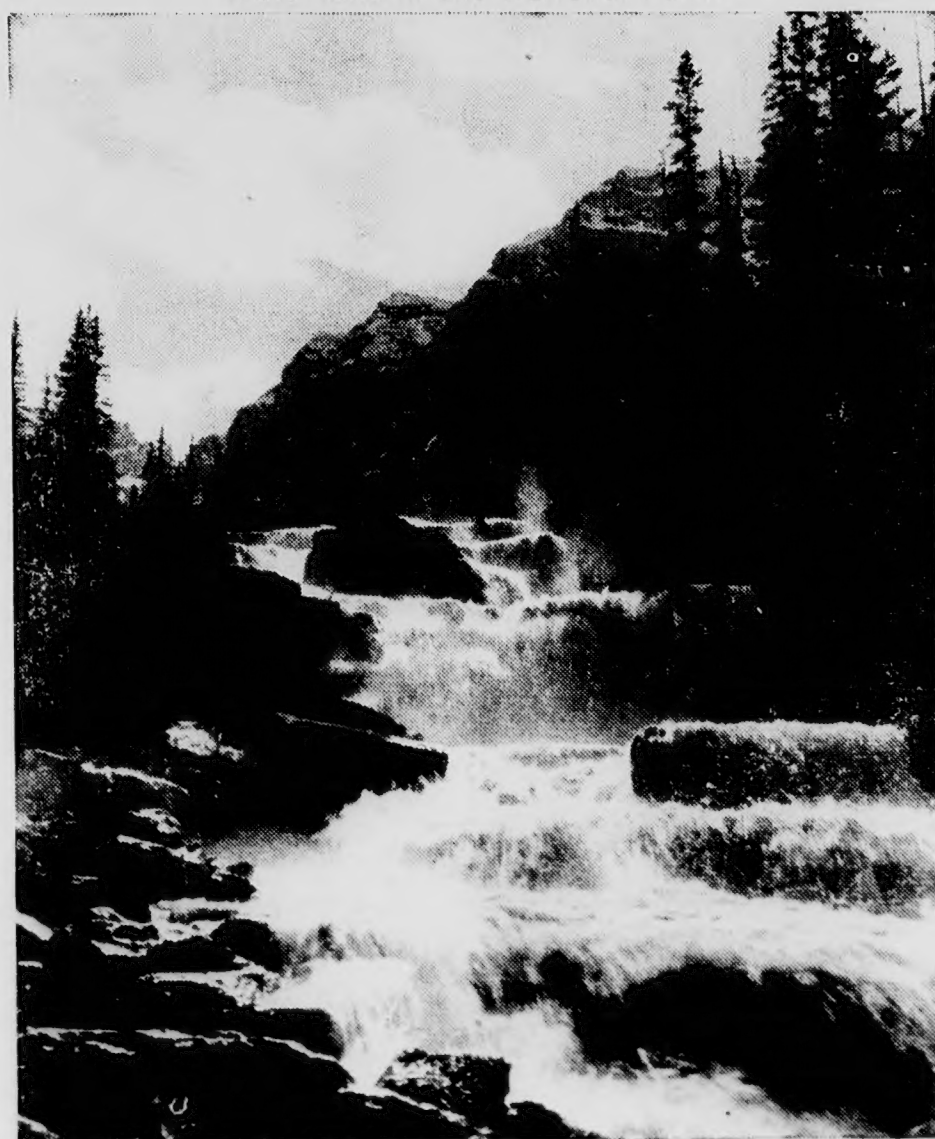
Get as much out of your possessions as possible.

If you cannot use something you have, or make it over, give it to someone who can use it.

Buy as many war savings certificates and stamps as possible.

Sausages were mentioned in a cooking book in the year 328.

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**The World of Wheat**

By H. G. L. Strange

There has been a good deal of talk about "parity" price of wheat. Some friends of this "World of Wheat" Column have asked about "parity" of other farm products. First, we must understand that full "parity" price in Canada and the United States means simply the 1913-14 price of the product, multiplied by the increase that has taken place of the things farmers have to buy. This gives the full 1913-14 parity price or full purchasing power of the product.

Then if we divide this full parity into the present price, we shall have the purchasing power of any product as compared with its similar purchasing power of 1913-14.

At today's prices wheat is 48% below its 1913-14 purchasing power or parity and at the new 90c wheat will be 31% below. Hogs are 14% below, butcher steers 10% below and lambs are 7% above the similar 1913-14 "parity" price, but the wages paid to industrial labor in munition and other plants are 44% above the 1913-14 parity.

It will be observed therefore that while our livestock producers are better off than the wheat growers, yet all are receiving a much less reward relative to 1913-14, than are workers in industrial plants. Let no one make any mistake about it—our prairie farmers are making a valuable and patriotic contribution to this war.

Following factors have tended to raise prices: There is shortage of bread grains in Egypt and Turkey. Private reports indicate a below normal crop in Italy and the Danube Basin. Seeding has been delayed over a large area of Australia because of dry weather.

Following factors have tended to lower price: U.S. winter crop prospects continue good and the storage situation remains critical. Argentinian wheat seeding well advanced in the northern half and moisture conditions are satisfactory. Widespread rains in western Europe have improved crop prospects considerably.

**Improve Vision with Vitamin A**

Remember green is the color signal for Vitamin A, necessary for good vision among other health factors. Yellow vegetables and fruits such as carrots, squash, apricots and peaches also contain this important vitamin.

Leaf lettuce is one, but just a leaf under a salad isn't going to provide the day's requirements. It must be eaten in quantity, including the outer dark leaves which are highest in food value. In buying either leaf or head lettuce watch for fresh, crisp, tender leaves.

Spinach and the wild green "lamb's quarters" are early green vegetables. Cook for the shortest time necessary and with little water. That which clings to the leaves after washing is sufficient. Avoid using soda to retain color since it destroys Vitamins A and C, advises Nutrition Services, Department of Pensions and National Health.

Onions add flavor to spring menus. Use the green tops finely chopped in salads.

Beef stew takes on a banquet flavor when cooked with a small quantity of pickling spice.

**Sight Restored to 9 Institute Report Tells**

Sixty persons suffering from progressive eye conditions which might have led to blindness were given examinations and nearly all supplied with glasses through the efforts of the Calgary branch of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind during the past year, Roy P. Thompson, executive officer of the branch, reported at the annual meeting.

Of the 60 treated, 40 were children of school age "which indicates progress in our efforts to enlist the assistance of school teachers and public health nurses," Mr. Thompson said. The

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number raised to 490 the people who have received treatment through the Institute.

Mr. Thompson also reported that during the year sight was restored to nine persons in Central and Southern Alberta following successful cataract operations.

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Every person who buys sugar for canning or preserving is required to keep an accurate record of the sugar purchased for this purpose. If any sugar remains after canning and preserving, it shall form part of the regular ration of 1/2 lb. per person per week.

Loyal Canadians will be glad of this new opportunity to do their part to ensure Victory.

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**THINK! BEFORE YOU USE SO MUCH****TEA AND COFFEE ARE RATIONED****Ships and lives must be conserved**

To bring tea from Ceylon and India, to bring coffee from South America, ships must cross oceans infested with submarines. Today those ships and their naval escorts are required for more essential services. Every ship, every foot of cargo space, is needed to carry war materials, and to bring essential goods to Canada.

So Canadians must now reduce their consumption of tea and coffee. You must reduce your normal consumption of tea by at least a half. You must reduce your normal consumption of coffee by at least one fourth. These reductions are absolutely necessary.

**TEA CONSUMPTION MUST BE CUT AT LEAST IN HALF****COFFEE CONSUMPTION MUST BE CUT AT LEAST ONE FOURTH****THIS IS THE LAW**

You must not buy more than 2 weeks' supply of tea or coffee for yourself and household in any one week.

You must not make further purchases of tea or coffee at any time when you have two weeks' supply on hand at the reduced ration. (Exception: those in areas remote from supply.)

Retailers have the right to limit or refuse customers' orders if they suspect the law is not being kept. Retailers must not have on hand more than one month's supply of tea and coffee, whether packaged or bulk.

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R. T. "Bob" Bowman has spent eighteen months of the war in Britain and the rest looking for trouble on the high seas, covering the story of Canada's expanding services and defences, getting in a game or two of golf, plaguing his superiors for new orders. Recently it was announced that he would conduct a get-fit radio class from Toronto. Instead of the program came a cable. Bowman was back in Britain to dig up and broadcast the weekly commentary of news from there to Canadians at home. He will be heard Sundays at 4:30 M. D. time. The picture shows Bob interviewing the crew of a defence battery on the Canadian West coast some time early this spring.

**Check Home Work Methods For Energy Conservation**

These days when conservation of labor is so important, home and farm workers might well take a leaf from the book of efficiency experts in industry whose sole job is to see that there is no waste of time or energy in the interest of increased production.

In a hundred small ways the worker can improve his methods with an eye to turning salvaged energy in other useful channels.

Here are a few suggestions:

Have all working surfaces at a comfortable height so as to avoid stooping or stretching, and keep frequently used articles easily accessible.

Keep knives, scissors and choppers well sharpened.

Fix doors, windows or drawers that stick; and latches, knobs, handles or hinges that have become loose.

Cut down on accidents by immediate repair of loose or broken steps on ladders or stairs.

Keep cleaning cloths, cleansers and polishes in a basket that can be easily moved from room to room on cleaning day.

Equip the kitchen with large, inexpensive trays to save steps when setting the table, baking and preserving.

**All Tires Now Rationed**

Effective from Friday last, May 15th, all tires and tubes, new, second-hand or retreads, passed under a tire-rationing order of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, made necessary to ensure supply of tires for airplanes, anti-aircraft gun carriages and other weapons of war.

Persons who use their cars solely for pleasure will be unable to buy tires or tubes when present ones wear out, until the war is over. The remainder of the motoring public is divided into Classes A, B and C, according to their priority in war work and essential commercial and public services. To obtain replacements these must make application on printed forms to Tire Rationing Officers, who will allot them in the order of priority at ceiling prices when sufficient need is shown. "C" class is restricted to used tires and tubes. To combat hoarding, all individuals, firms and organizations must, under penalty, report by May 31st the number of tires they possess over those required for running wheels and one spare.

Mr. Walter S. Campbell, Regional Representative of the Board, announces that tire applications will be received and dealt with at the Regional Office of the Board in the Williamson Block, Edmonton, and at the sub-Regional Offices in the Burns Building, Calgary; Caldwell Building, Grande Prairie; Metro Building, Red Deer; McFarland Building, Lethbridge; and at 502 2nd St., Medicine Hat.

**TO STOP TIRE THEFTS**

With the new restrictions on tires imposed by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, it behooves motorists to take added precautions against tire thefts. Mr. Walter S. Campbell, Regional Representative of the Board in Alberta, suggests that owners of automobiles take the numbers of their tires. In the event of theft, this will be of great assistance in tracing the tires and stopping any "black market" dealings. Thefts should be reported without delay to the nearest police authority and to the nearest local representative of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Doubling of the area planted to soybeans, to bring it to a total of nearly 30,000 acres and help meet vegetable oil and feed requirements, is hoped for in 1942, agriculture department officials said.

A photostatic copy of the minutes of meetings held by the original International Workingmen's Association in London in 1864 has been sent to Stalin. The original is stored in the vaults of a bank.

It has been estimated that one of every 10 domestic radio sets in Britain can not be used because of a shortage of valves, batteries and skilled labor.

Harrow and other historic boys' schools are employing women teachers for the duration. They are mostly young women just out of university and others from girls' schools.

Twenty-one British Columbia Japanese families who arrived from the Pacific coast are now settled on farms on the Lethbridge northern irrigation district.

## Bonnie Dress and Bonnet

BY ANNE ADAMS



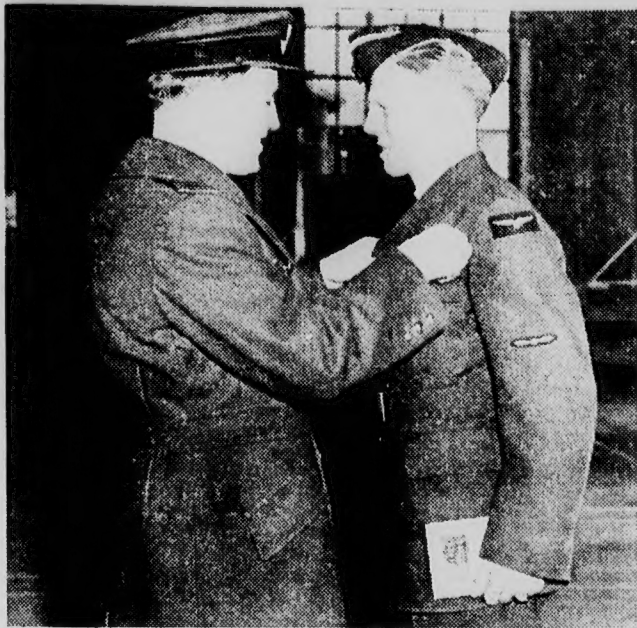
The style prize for kiddie clothes goes to Pattern 4022 by Anne Adams! It has the latest details—a scalloped bonnet, a frock with a scalloped front buttoning and Peter Pan collar—all three adorably outlined with lace. The optional flare sleeve may be scalloped too, and the collar omitted to make another cunning version.

Pattern 4022 is available in children's sizes 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10. Size 6, puff sleeve dress and bonnet, takes 2½ yards 35 inch fabric; flare sleeve dress 2 yards 35 inch fabric and 2½ yards lace edging.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coin stamps cannot be accepted for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly: Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.



## Former Hockey Star



Former star hockey player with the Saskatoon Quakers, Senior Amateur Club of Saskatchewan, K. A. "Red" Hunter is now a pilot with the Royal Canadian Air Force. Hunter is shown here receiving his "Wings" from the Commanding Officer, Wing Commander W. E. Kennedy, No. 15 S.F.T.S., R.C.A.F., Claresholm, Alta. "Red" has just completed a successful hockey season playing with the No. 15 S.F.T.S. team in Southern Alberta Service League.

## Shortage Is Serious

Every Bit Of Scrap Rubber Is Needed By Canada

Every last ounce of scrap rubber must be collected within the next few months or Canada's armed forces may be faced with a serious lack of supplies, Alan H. Williamson, controller of supplies in the department of munitions and supply said.

In response to his recent appeal, thousands of pounds of old tires, old door mats and other articles made of rubber have started to roll into salvage depots all across Canada.

"But this is only a small beginning," Mr. Williamson said. "It is the personal duty of every citizen to see that every last pound is started on its way through the usual salvage channels to the reclaim factories."

E. M. Proctor, head of the scrap rubber division of the munitions department, said the objective represents as much scrap rubber as would be obtained from 2,500,000 ordinary passenger tires. Piled one on top of the other that number of tires would make a spire 238 miles high; placed end to end they would stretch 352 miles, farther than from Toronto to Halifax.

Mr. Proctor said, however, that "we cannot depend on tires alone for our scrap."

"We need such things as discarded garden hose, door mats, hot water bottles, rubber footwear, rubber toys, belting, automobile and bicycle tubes, and other items," he said. "The task is so big that it will require the combined efforts of every person in the country."

## FLYING FIGHTER PLANE

Britain's second legless pilot has begun operational flights, following in the "footsteps" of Wing Cmdr. Douglas Bader, who won R.A.F. laurels before he was forced to bail out over enemy territory. Sub-Lt. Colin Shaw-Hodgkinson, 21, who lost both legs in a night flying crash before the war, will fly a fighter plane of the fleet air arm.

## MISTAKEN FOR SUB

A machine-gunned whale, apparently mistaken for a submarine by patrolling aviators, was washed up on a beach near Gijon, Spain. Sixty feet long from nose to tail, the whale's hide had been punctured by machine-gun slugs. 2460

## Will Not Take Leave

Canadian Soldier From Victoria Prefers To Stay Around Camp

In the Canadian Scottish from Victoria is a private who used to be a trapper in the wilds of British Columbia. He's one of the most unique soldiers overseas, for they can't persuade him to take any leave.

"It's this way," said one of his pals. "He doesn't like cities or towns, for he is used to the outdoors all the time, and so he just wants to hang around camp. In the evenings he amuses himself by sitting quietly in his hut playing with a Bren gun."

## NOT ENOUGH HORSES

There is much easy talk about the horse replacing the truck and automobile; but it takes longer to produce a horse of working age than a power vehicle three or four years. There isn't a large supply of idle horses standing in stalls waiting for a demand to come along.

## WELL VENTILATED

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## WAY TO TEACH THEM

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If you get a little sulky when you read about tire rationing, all you need is a horse.

## SOME TONGUE TWISTERS

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## "ALL THAT GLITTERS"

— By —  
ANNE TEDLOCK BROOKS

### CHAPTER XXII.

Tamar remembered Ransome's warning about riding on the Cricket Hill Rd., after she had turned Madcap's head toward the dusty trail that led to the Fettes's shack. She wasted no time on thinking of it, though, for there were other things to consider.

She had called Dr. Forrester before she left Shadwell, and wondered if she would know what to do during the time that it would take to drive out from Tahlahneka. Even though she had taken a course in home nursing at the seminary, it seemed that she could never grow accustomed to the sight of suffering.

As usual, the ramshackle gate was cluttered with dirty children and dogs. Tamar threw Madcap's bridle to one of the older boys and ran into the house.

She knew that she could never forget the next half hour before the doctor and his assistant arrived. Over all the poverty hung the atmosphere of careless indifference which seemed to accompany the Fettes's standard of living. Tamar thought: she could have taught the older girls to wash dishes and to scrub floors.

She had sent one of the children to the field to call his father who presently stalked in. Tamar wished that she had not sent for him, because he was so dirty.

She knew enough about the prepara-

tions and she gave instructions so that things would be ready for Dr. Forrester. She heard his quick firm step outside and was thankful.

He took hold of her arm. "Good girl, Tamar. We'll take charge from here. You run along now." He was thinking perhaps this will be good for her—help get her mind off her mother.

Tamar shuddered visibly when she reached the doorway. "Come by Shadwell if you need anything." The Fettes didn't even have a telephone.

"I'm prepared for every emergency. But she's going to be all right. She has to be," he added grimly. "Think what this responsibility would be for some one else to have to shoulder." His glance took in everything.

Fetten followed Tamar to her waiting mare. "I shore thank yo' Miz Randolph, Marigold told me what you done. I couldn't git along without the old woman; but then she's gonna be all right. Ye couldn't kill Maria," his mild attempt at humor touched Tamar.

"Madcap's a purty little mare. I think this other road's jest a little better, why don't you take it back to Shadwell?"

Tamar's eyes followed his pointing finger down the dusty road which led past his barren field. It looked hot and she knew that it was the longer way home. And besides, it led past the row of dirty houses and dirtier children occupying Squatter's Square. "Thanks, Mr. Fettes. But I believe I'll go the same way I came." She turned the mare's head. She was aware that he stood by the fence and watched her until she turned the bend.

She wished suddenly that she could plunge into the waters of the Chestnut and purge the feeling of uncleanness which pervaded her senses. As she rode slowly along little things began to come to her attention.

Marigold Fettes's dress, although

slick from the soil of many days' wearing was new. The bright plaids of the other girl's dresses came back to her vividly. There had been a new boiler for the water, and one by one many things in the tumble-down house were recalled as being recently purchased. Until now the truck standing in the side yard had simply not registered. Had Fettes got the money?

Tamar knew enough about the family to know that their credit, excepting for a few groceries, had been brought to an abrupt end by the merchants of Tahlahneka. Dresses, household equipment; these could be bought by his results from panning the red soil. But a truck? And gasoline to run it?

Had Fettes seemed overly anxious about her going back on the Cricket Hill Road? She stopped, stunned with the impact of this last thought.

With determination she then urged Madcap forward. Shrugging her slender shoulders beneath their green sweater, she thought, "I am certainly getting to be a suspicious monger."

The old wagon track that she had known as a child had widened into a dusty road which trucks and cars cut out of the red clay. The narrow, weed-covered tracks that led to the Fettes, joined sharply to the wider road at a place hidden by thick undergrowth.

Beyond the junction there was a sharp rise in the mine road, concealing what lay ahead. It had been weeks since Tamar had crossed the top of the hill.

Below her lay the swimming hole. She looked at the countryside around her. It was peacefully still and warm. The thought of the swimming hole drew her and she recalled vividly the last time that she had gone there.

"I'll ride Madcap to the top of the hill toward the mine," she thought.

Madcap picked her way daintily along the firm ground at the side of the dust. Her sleek coat shone in the sun and her proud little head was held high.

Tamar pulled on the bridle as they neared the rise, slowing Madcap's walk to a halt at the top.

Below her, just a few yards away, men were working on the road. There were three of them, picks and shovels in hand. They looked up sharply as she appeared, and one of them called out. "The road's being repaired. You'd better go back, Miss Randolph."

Tamar never knew afterward why she thought he sounded too excited merely to be warning her about the condition of the road. Without a word, she brought her hand down sharply on Madcap's shoulders and started forward.

Tamar heard one of the men say something in a low tone. "There's a bad place here, the road's given out beneath or something," he called warningly.

The next instant Madcap stepped into a deep ditch that had certainly not been visible, and Tamar thought of camouflage as she went over Madcap's head into the dust.

The men swore viciously. The mare had broken her leg and would have to be shot. "What in hell will we do with her? We haven't got long to decide."

Tamar lay in the dust where she had fallen while they talked. She tried to sit up but was too dizzy. She began to realize they were frantically discussing her.

"Towne will give us hell for messing this up."

"Who'd have thought she'd pick today to go to the mine? Jake, you'll have to take her some place in the car."

"We've got to shoot the mare and get her out of here before the truck comes along. Get that rope out of the car." Their voices were harsh with excitement.

Tamar knew a sickening wash of fear sweep over her. Kill Madcap? Why Madcap was one of the family. She cried out, but the men working furiously didn't pay any attention.

She stood up and the world whirled about her, but she walked slowly to

the mare. She laid her head against that of the little roan, and knew that she would always remember the look in Madcap's eyes. She suddenly couldn't bear it any longer. Great wrenching sobs finally got Jake's attention.

"Lady, will you shut up that bawlin'? We've got troubles enough without havin' you waterin' the place. I'm sorry we've got to shoot her. She's a purty little thing."

"Don't get soft, Jake. Get away, Miss!" shouted one.

"Oh, don't kill her! Don't, please don't!" begged Tamar. In a frenzy she ran toward the man with the gun. "Don't! Oh, don't!"

Tamar saw that his face had brutality indelibly printed upon it. It was hard as steel and etched with lines of cruelty. He deliberately held her in the grip of one hand and aimed with the other.

When the shot rang out, Tamar was thrown viciously to one side. "Want a bullet for yourself?" He turned back to the men. "Hitch her on to the truck and drag her out, we've got to hurry."

Tamar watched in fascinated terror with tears streaming down her face, while they pulled Madcap out of the ditch and dragged her, with much swearing and backing of the truck. They took the dead animal back to the clump of undergrowth of the junction out of sight.

In her helplessness, rage possessed Tamar. Why was it important they hurry?

"Why will Major Towne be angry for this mess?" she asked coldly of Jake.

Jake said nothing. The man who seemed to be the leader finally threw down his pick.

"She's your job Jake. Take care of her until this is over."

"What'll I do with her?"

"Put her in the truck and drive—my God!" he broke off. "Sister, you're sure in a tough spot! Fool women!" He called Jake to one side and they talked in low tones.

Without a word, Tamar started down the road toward home. She began to run. She must get home and warn her father about this. She knew now that she had been so concerned with Madcap that she had not given a chance for common sense to tell her what was about to happen.

She heard a car start up, and divining the men's purpose, broke through the wall of hedge, scratching herself on the thorns. But the driver had seen her. He threw on the brakes and followed her, catching her roughly by the arm.

She knew only one brief regret, before he picked her up and carried her to the car. It was not Jake.

(To Be Continued)

### For Refugee Children

British Princesses Give Dolls To Be Ruffled In United States

Child victims of the war recently got attention at the White House and at the British embassy in Washington.

Now that Princess Elizabeth is 16 and officially grown-up, and her sister, Princess Margaret Rose, is but four years younger, they have apparently decided to give up their dolls.

Five of their dolls—two of them wearing copies of gowns Queen Elizabeth wore on her visit to the United States in 1939—have been given to the British War Relief to be shown in that country, and later raffled off in behalf of aid for European child refugees in Britain.

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### LOCAL & GENERAL

Misses Dorothy and Marge Smith and Vivian Caithness spent the holiday at Sylvan Lake.

L.A.C. Bruce Clarke, who is stationed at Macleod, spent his holiday leave at his home here.

L.A.C. George Kercher was home on leave a few days last week. He is taking his flying service course at Clareholm and expects to graduate in about two weeks.

K. Roy McLean, Optometrist and Optician, will be at the Rosebud Hotel on Monday morning, June 8th. Wednesday to Saturday consult at 1015 Southam Building, Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farrant, who now reside at Rosedale, B.C., have recently received word that their son Cpl. Ted Farrant had arrived safely in England on May 15th.

H. D. Booker received a cable on Saturday from his son Pete, who is with the Army Medical Corps, that he had arrived safely in Great Britain.

Mary McNair, who is with the Women's Army Service Corps at Calgary, was home on leave last week end. Mary expects to be included in the draft of Women's Services to be sent overseas shortly.

The Buhr family had a reunion over the holidays, when all their children were home. Ed came from Lethbridge, Bert, who is training for R.C.A.F., came from Edmonton and Mrs. R. Fiddes came from Calgary.

George Formby, in his funniest picture "I See Ice," will be at the Didsbury Theatre this week. The "funniest man in films set a new hilarity... on skates, and when he gets mixed up in a hockey game the fun is fast and furious.

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Miss Dorothy Ranton of High River spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Ranton.

Cpl. Geo. Royds of the R.C.A.F. at Edmonton was visiting his brother Tom last weekend.

Miss Rena Mowers of Innisfail was visiting friends here during the holidays.

Sgt.-Ins. Stanton of the Calgary Tanks headquarters was in Didsbury the early part of the week.

Regular meeting of the Didsbury branch of the Canadian Legion on May 30th at 8:30 p.m.—on the west

Didsbury detachment of Calgary Tanks, parade a 8:15 hours on May 31. Proceed to Olds—battle dress.

Sapper Jim Devolin who came home on furlough Friday left for Debert, N.S. on Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. Beveridge and daughter Diana were holidaying at their cottage at Sylvan Lake last weekend. They had Miss Bea Kendrick as their guest.

Mr. Vern and Miss Beth Wrigglesworth were among the holiday rowd at Sylvan Lake last weekend.

Mrs. A. W. Reiber is in a Calgary Hospital, having undergone an operation. She was taken ill while in Calgary for the holidays.

Miss Dorothy and Marg Smith and Vivian Caithness spent the holiday at Sylvan.

The Lone Pine W.I. Dance which was to be held on May 25th, has been postponed to Friday, June 5th.

Mrs. and Mrs. Lorn Frey of High River were visiting in town. They report that all business there is at a standstill on account of the flood.

Scott's week-end Special—Men's good work shoes—either Panco or leather soles, for \$2.75.

Miss Margaret Hansen of the Telephone Office staff spent the holidays at her home in Olds, and at Sylvan Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Austin and Elizabeth spent the holidays at their cottage at Sylvan Lake. They were accompanied by Mary and Sam Boorman.

Sgt.-Observer Lloyd Jenkins who had been here on furlough, left on Thursday for an eastern station. His brother Dave accompanied him as far as Calgary.

The Buhr family had a family reunion over the holiday. Ed who is at Lethbridge, Bert who is training for the R.C.A.F. at Edmonton, and Mrs. R. Fiddes of Calgary were all home.

Knox Senior Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Leeson this Friday, May 29th, at 2 o'clock. If weather unfavorable, will meet at Mrs. McCoy's. Please note change of day and time.

A Silver Medal Contest will be held at Mountain View Community Hall on Friday, June 5th. A special program of musical numbers will be included. An invitation is extended to all who are interested in the welfare of young people. A collection will be taken and lunch served.

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## REGISTRATION OF UNEMPLOYED MEN

### WHO MUST REGISTER

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### WHEN TO REGISTER

If you have not already registered at an Employment and Claims Office of the Unemployment Insurance Commission within the last two weeks, or have not obtained work, you are required to register within the week of June 1st, 1942, or within one week after becoming unemployed or not gainfully occupied at any time after May 31st, 1942.

### WHERE TO REGISTER

1. At an Employment and Claims Office of the Unemployment Insurance Commission, if you live in, or within five miles of, a city or town in which there is such an office; or
2. At the nearest Post Office, if you do not live in, or within five miles of, a city or town in which there is an Employment and Claims Office.

### RENEWAL

You must renew your registration at least every two weeks if you remain unemployed.

By Authority of Order-in-Council P.C.1445 of March 2nd, 1942.

HUMPHREY MITCHELL

Minister of Labour.

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